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PETITION TO MAKE SPECIAL UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.102

Dear Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.102, the Applicant petitions the Commissioner to advance the examination of the above-referenced application. It is submitted that the claims of above-referenced application are directed to a single invention. A pre-examination search has been made of a corresponding application in the European Patent Office. The claims of the corresponding application are of the same scope as the claims in the above-referenced US patent application. The pre-examination search resulted in a search report, which cites four references and is submitted herewith along with a copy of each of the references. A detailed discussion of the references follows.

In US patent no. 6,178,313 to Mages, et al. (hereinafter "Mages"), gain of a power amplifier in a mobile station is controlled by controlling a bias current for the power amplifier. Gain control signals, specifying a required gain, are received from a base station and used to determine a first adjustment value (a bias current) that is expected to result in the required gain. However, Mages does not disclose or suggest producing a second adjustment value or producing a correction value based on a difference between the first adjustment value and the second adjustment value.

In International Publication no. WO 02/060088, a power control loop is employed to adjust gain of a power amplifier. The gain of the power amplifier is controlled based on a first adjustment value. The first adjustment value is based on a difference between a signal representative of an instantaneous level of power in the output of the power amplifier and a signal representative of an instantaneous level of power in a reference signal. However, International Publication no. WO 02/060088 does not disclose or suggest producing a second adjustment value based on the same desired average transmitted power on which the first adjustment value is based. Furthermore, WO 02/060088 does not disclose or suggest producing a correction value based on a difference between the first adjustment value and the second adjustment value.

In US patent no. 6,535,066 to Petsko (hereinafter "Petsko"), a peak detector measures the peak of a symbol to be transmitted. A selection means generates a first adjustment value (a control signal) that is to be used to control the bias provided to a power amplifier. Petsko does not disclose or suggest producing a second adjustment value or producing a correction value based on a difference between the first adjustment value and the second adjustment value.

In International Publication no. WO 02/33844, a power controller for a radio circuit takes into account statistical variation of output power in a signal having a non-constant envelope. In particular, a mean power in the signal to be transmitted is compared to a reference power and the difference is added to a requested power level to generate a sum. The sum, thus generated, is used as a reference value from which is subtracted a value proportional to the power in a signal output from the radio circuit. The difference is used to form a first adjustment value (a control signal). International Publication no. WO 02/33844 does not disclose or suggest producing a parameter signal based on a correction signal and the first adjustment signal, where the correction signal is produced based on a difference between the first adjustment signal and a second adjustment signal.

Applicant respectfully requests that a timely Notice of Allowance be issued in

the case.

Respectfully submitted,

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